

THE WEATHER
San Francisco Bay Region

Rain Tuesday and probably Wednesday;
Continued cold; gentle variable winds

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England Happy As Condition Of King Improves

LONDON, Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—Christmas eve found England thankful and happy in the knowledge that King George was continuing to make steady although slow progress.

An official bulletin, issued at 8:30 p. m.;

"The very slow progress of his fit continues. No bulletin will be issued until Tuesday evening."

Power Service Here Interrupted By Ice

Ice frozen on power lines near Crockett was responsible for the interrupted service here Saturday night, Sunday and yesterday.

Squads of linemen are working day and night to free the wires from the heavy coat of frozen fog that loaded the lines to the breaking point. The hills near Crockett are covered with ice as fog and moisture freeze in the low temperature. Only one out of four power lines, leading into Crockett, was working yesterday.

The lowest temperature of the year was registered at the Rich-

mond Standard Oil tank farm yesterday morning. Their mercury went down to 29 degrees above zero, according to R. J. Lavery, meteorologist there.

Rain has been forecast for tomorrow, in spite of the cold. There have been six rainy Christmases since 1912. It rained Christmas day 1913, 1915, 1917, 1920, 1923 and 1927, Lavery reported.

Rainfall for the month totals 2.61 inches while the season's total is 5.92 inches or .71 inches below normal.

Nation's Capital In Holiday Mood

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—The capital regarded as the most cosmopolitan of American cities, is celebrating the holidays with as much or more abandonment and merriment than the rest of the nation.

The embassies and Washington society homes are abuzz with personal and social functions. It is the height of the winter social season—the last days of the Coolidge administration.

A considerable part of the holiday revolves around the White House, which has received from the First Lady.

Midnight Mass Opens Services At St. Marks

Elaborate Christmas services are planned for St. Mark's Catholic church. They began with midnight mass celebration by Rev. William Henningsen, assistant pastor, Rev. J. McGlory, S. J. of Santa Clara University delivered the sermon.

Low masses will be held this morning at 7, 8 and 9 o'clock. Christmas hymns will be sung by the children at the 8 o'clock mass. High mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock. The choir under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Bennett furnished the music for the midnight mass and will sing again at the 10 o'clock mass.

W. J. Hallis Funeral Held

Final rites for W. J. Hallis, 75, former Richmond resident, who died last week, were held from the Wilson and Kratzer chapel yesterday, with Rev. Weldon Wilson officiating. Cremation was at the Berkeley crematory.

Wallis was a native of England and had made his home in the King's Daughters' home in Oakland for the last two years.

Trinity Lutheran Has Yule Party

A program of special Christmas music was presented before the congregation of the San Pablo church Sunday night by the choir. Rev. H. H. Stagg, pastor of the church, gave a brief sermon prior to the musical ceremonies.

RECORD HERALD

A RICHMOND PAPER FOR RICHMOND PEOPLE

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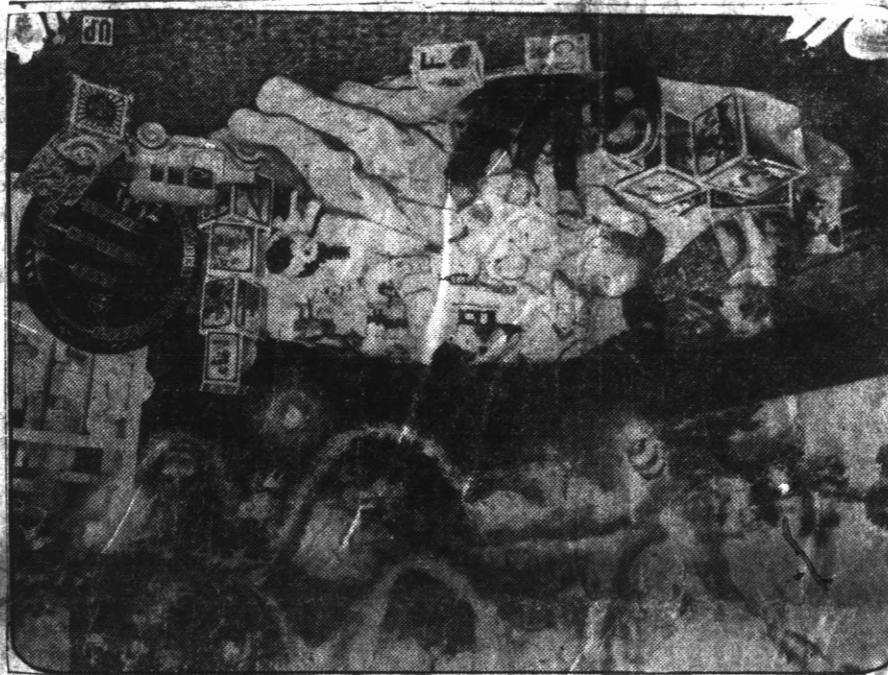
RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 25, 1928

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Pleasant Awakening Soon



LAND OF NOD will soon be deserted by this little miss to see what Santa has brought her. St. Nicholas seems to have been quite generous to her. How would you like to wake up to a scene like this?

YOUTH SLAYS FOR MOTHER

Record Herald Will Observe Christmas Day

Season's Greetings to the readers of the RECORD-HERALD are extended by each and every worker who assists in bringing your morning news to you.

Employees of the RECORD-HERALD will join with the rest of the world today in observing Christmas and no paper will be issued tomorrow morning.

The next issue of the RECORD-HERALD will appear Thursday morning, when a complete resume of the holiday news will be published.

Bartley was found dead with two wounds in his body by Coroner Bert Lemons and deputy sheriffs who went to the ranch at dawn this morning.

The youth was placed in the county jail here and according to Sheriff Gillett, refused to make a further statement, except to say that his actions were "justified."

The Kilgore formerly lived on a ranch adjoining Bartley's property. The youth attended the local schools and the family is well known in this section of the state.

Kilgore is said to have confessed that he purchased a revolver and a shot gun in Mar Vista. He went to the Bartley ranch and laid in ambush.

According to the police at 4:30 Bartley came from the house to supervise the milking. Kilgore said Bartley was whistling. When he came to about six feet from the hidden youth, both barrels of the gun were discharged into the body of the unsuspecting rancher, according to Kilgore's confession.

The youth then left in his car for town where he gave himself up to the police. He declared that he had done "the right thing" and appeared to be cheerful and satisfied.

D. C. Huffaker, a partner of Bartley and his wife, were eating breakfast when the shots were fired. They rushed out and the couple went to see Kilgore just in time to see Kilgore drive away.

CAPITAL VISITORS

Mrs. John Mills and mother Mrs. Georgia Martin, both of Richmond are entertaining as holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. John Dever and their two children from Sacramento.

BACK FROM IDAHO

Mrs. C. M. Newton and daughter of 219 Sixteenth street arrived here Sunday from Buil, Idaho. Dever and their two children from Sacramento.

HENRY CURRY FOUND DEAD

Henry J. Curry, 64, a political figure in the life of Contra Costa county for the last 40 years, was found dead at his desk in his Martinez undertaking parlors yesterday morning. Curry was coroner of the county from 1892 to 1906. He was a native of Clayton and the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Curry of that city. Two brothers survive him. They are Bert Curry of Richmond and T. Benjamin Curry of Martinez. R. H. Curry of Richmond is an uncle of the deceased.

Mrs. Mollie Curry, his widow, left a few days ago for Chicago to visit a sister, Mrs. Howard Veal. Efforts have been made to inform her of the sudden death.

In the early days, Curry operated a livery business in Martinez and Clayton. He later entered the undertaking business and was elected to the office of coroner several times. He was active in every political campaign in the state.

He was last seen alive Sunday night at 10 o'clock by Charles Scott, an employee, and appeared to be in good health.

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REYNOLD CARLSON, Y. M. C. A. SECRETARY WILL WED TODAY

Miss Ruth Carter Collier of

Berkeley will become the bride of Reynold Carlson of Richmond at a ceremony in Trinity Methodist church Berkeley this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The couple will be united in marriage by Rev. Henry Frost, pastor of the church.

Miss Margaret Randolph of San Anselma will be maid of honor and little Miss Dorothy Lindquist will be the flower girl.

Wallis Carlson will be his brother's best man. E. B. Georhart and Linton Carlson will be ushers.

Following the ceremony, the couple will depart on a wedding tour through southern California. Upon their return they will make

VANDERBILT DENIES GIFTS

RENO, Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., former newspaper publisher and scion of a prominent New York family, tonight asked his attorney here to deny that he had received a check for \$1,000,000 as a Christmas gift from his father.

"Mr. Vanderbilt has authorized me by wire to deny the report of a \$1,000,000 gift from his parents," Sam Blaik, the attorney, said. "The very substantial trust fund set aside out of his inheritance to liquidate his obligations to creditors has received the sanction of his parents. It will serve as a Christmas present to those to whom he is obligated."

CORDOVA, Alaska, Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—A new battle

Alaskan Ship In New Battle With Sea Gale

with storm tossed seas, was being staged off the Alaskan coast tonight after heavy gales had stopped the cable with which the tug Roosevelt was towing the disabled steamer Starr.

The Roosevelt began maneuvering to reach the leeward side of Kayak Island, when the line broke, off Cape Stetina and the steamer

ship Northwestern steered from its course to give assistance.

2 Escape Death As Auto Leaps In Bay

MARTINEZ, Dec. 24.—Two persons narrowly escaped death here this morning when their car skidded on the ice covered pavement of the approach to the Martinez-Benzle ferry company's pier and plunged into five feet of water.

The machine was driven by S. G. Nissen, 30, of Channing avenue, Palo Alto and he was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Carmen Nissen.

Robert Schultz of Martinez, rushed to the couple's aid, pulling them to the wharf. The fact that

the car was an open one probably saved them from being trapped.

Nissen and his daughter were enroute to Chico to spend the Christmas holidays when the accident occurred.

Members of the fire department and traffic officers were called to the scene of the crash.

Shortly after the Nissen accident another macabre skid into the ferry fence guard and narrowly escaped going into the water.

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Governor Young Asks Careful Yule

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 24.—Gov. C. Young today issued an appeal to all motorists and pedestrians of California to drive and walk carefully during the coming holiday period.

Calling attention to the fact that the records of the division of motor vehicles show that December is always a high month in automobile fatalities, and that the highways and streets are crowded with traffic during the holiday period, Governor Young urged motorists to make careful inspection of their brakes, lights and other

important parts of the vehicle and use more than the usual amount of caution in driving.

Governor Young said:

"I deem it my duty at this time to urge every motorist and pedestrian in California to use extreme care in driving and walking during the next few days."

"I am informed by the division of motor vehicles that December is the highest month in the year in automobile fatalities.

"To be attentive and cautious while participating in traffic may save many lives."

New Head Named By Safety Council

OAKLAND, Dec. 24.—A. W. Moore today was named president of the East Bay Safety council to continue the fight against automobile accidents in this city.

Howard Baxter was elected vice president of the group, A. J. Anderson was reelected treasurer and Miss Florence T. Anderson was again named executive secretary.

Installation of officers will be held in January at ceremonies here.

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St. Edmunds In Yule Services

Christmastide was ushered in a special services in the St. Edmunds church last night. Services started at 11 o'clock. This morning there will be a service with communion at 11 o'clock.

Sunday night the children's Christmas services with nativity pageant and tree were presented.

Wesley Church Choir Presents Yule Cantata

The choir of the Wesley Methodist church Sunday night presented the Christmas cantata "The Dawn of Christmas" before a packed church. Special music for the event was provided by an orchestra, under the direction of C. F. Robbins.

The cantata was one of the most successful to be presented by the choir for a number of years.

Christmas Service At First Baptist

A special white gift service was held at the First Baptist church last night. A Christmas program was presented and gifts to be given to the needy were collected.

The program was under the direction of the members of the Sunday school.

Mrs. W. E. Mayo and Miss Hazel

Young, of Santa Rosa are visitors.

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IF IT WERE EVERY DAY

Christmas commentators have long stressed the wish as well as the inquiry as to why the glorious spirit which prevails that day should not extend to the other 364 days in the year.

It does seem misfortune that human nature so radiant with cheer and kindness, so uniformly successful in banishing care and criticism, so fraternal and comrades, should remain so only for a day and then slough off these attributes to wear the less appealing vestments of everyday intercourse.

Is it possible that people to attain this high estate must struggle throughout the year? Are they incapable of a sustained kindness or would this millennial sort of an existence become tiresome if it became a commonplace daily emotional diet? Cynics will say yes. The philosopher may reply that with Christmas as with other things, it is the contrast that counts.

Certainly it is true that without pain man would not recognize pleasure. Without clouds the sunshine would not be appreciated. Until health is impaired, its pricelessness is ignored. Might it be so with Christmas?

And still if that be so, what becomes of the faith of those who are looking forward to a better and matchless day that will endure forever. There is no comparison between things celestial and things terrestrial and still it may be doubted whether any season on earth gets as close to man's conception of idealism in human relations as the Christmas season. Certainly there is no better standard for man's attitude to man than that revealed throughout Christendom on Christmas Day. It is beyond dispute the most mellow of all earthly holidays.

Why cannot people live together always in amity and good will? Are these virtues so perishable that after a day or two they wither and pass away? Could they not be nurtured into perennials and would they not be if people only wanted them to be?

There is nothing in all the catalogue of human emotions quite like that uplifting, generous, genial spirit that radiates throughout the Christmas season.

Religious or irreligious man cannot satisfy his mind that this matchless tone of Christmas just happened. It had an origin somewhere and somehow and where else can its source be sought except in the homely circumstances of a Great Birth back in Bethlehem nineteen centuries ago. From that day to this the emotions of Christmas have varied only in degree not in kind. The same exaltation, the same joy, the same triumph of the soul that stirred in humanity then stirs it now. Who will say that the legacy of the manger was trivial?

And so the question persists. Why not every day the spirit of Christmas day? Why not the same spirit of good will? Is it because humanity will not or is it that humanity is not capable of sustained goodness?

Another fault of the times is too much birth control and not enough control of the youngsters after they are born.

Some men stay down town so much that when they do eat at home they look for the menu.

You can't tell by the noise. A nickel makes more racket in the collection plate than a dime.

Perhaps you have observed that the nearer wrong a man is, the more impatient he is of criticism.

Artistic temperament seldom develops while the child is young enough to be spanked.

It must be fine to be a he-flapper and have nothing to do but light another cigarette.

"People get better every day," says a preacher. What of the nights?

Beauty is a skin game.

What Shall I Wear?

By JUDIE



AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



By HOWELLINGTON

DEAR JUDIE:

A pale shade of blue is employed for the side pointed. Bertha cuffs help yoke and dipping flare of a chiffon dress in one of Patou's favorite colors.

I understand that yokes are being worn again but I am vague as to just how. Are they round or square, and are they transparent so that the dress becomes a sort of miniskirt evening dress? I am thinking of having a blue dress for restaurant and theater; but do not want it sleeveless. I have blue eyes and black hair and like to wear blue—Coffey.

Of course you like to wear blue to make the best of your Irish eyes. Here's a lovely blue chiffon

in which you may dine in the happy assurance that it is one of Patou's successful colors and has a yoke which is new if anything is. You might have the yoke of this dress become a sort of flesh-chiffon. In which case it is not the first time that waist length V's and other inscriptions were revelled in flesh chiffon. I hope you will wear a blue hat too.

Yours for style,
JUDIERECORD HERALD
Rags Wanted.

BEAUTY

Oily skin is more subject to those unpleasant things—blackheads and whiteheads—than other types. A woman with a skin of this sort cannot be too careful to clean her face of superfluous oil as well as the daily accumulation of dust and grime.

A cleansing cream should be applied first to flush out the pores of the impurities lodged there and then if the skin is very oily, soap and water can be used to advantage two or three times a week—or even oftener.

Use only a pure soap, of course (some shaving soaps are excellent for the purpose), and soft water if possible. Rinse the soap out carefully and then alternately apply hot and cold water to the skin. This will stimulate the circulation. If your skin needs a tissue cream now is the time to put it on and then close up the pores with an astringent lotion.

Occasional mud-pack treatments will often help the very oily type of skin to remain free of blemishes. Witch hazel and fuller's earth can be combined into a very effective home-made pack.

My Dear Miss Lane:

Do you think it is advisable to use creams made by different firms—cleansing cream by one, toner by another, and foundation cream by still a third? A friend and I have had an argument about this which we would like you to settle—negative.

On the whole I think it's wiser to use preparations made by the same house as they are designed to supplement one another and will not have conflicting chemical effect on the skin.

DETROIT, Dec. 25.—UP—Chang

ing of the tenement mind in regard to bobbed hair has caused

200 Detroit barber shops to close

in the last eight months, accord

ing to Fred Miller, secretary of

the Master Barbers Association

here.

Times when grandmothers and

cents to 35 cents.

All of which was a prelude to

Miller's announcement that

prices for haircuts and shaves

would advance here soon. Haircuts

will be 65 cents instead of 50

cents and shaves will advance 10

cents to 35 cents.

By R. A. WOLFE

THEIR RETURNED TO THE SHIP,

BRINGING THEIR FRIENDS,

AND ALL WERE GIVEN PROVISIONS

AND MANY PRESENTS—

—TO BE CONTINUED—

By BUFORD TUNE

LISTEN, OLD DEAR—YOU

SHOULD CLEAR ALL THE

KNIVES AND FORKS OFF

THE TABLE BEFORE

YOU START SLAMMING

THINGS AROUND—

TUNE

Girl of My Dreams

THAT JENNY'S SURE A

DARL

SKYLARK! WHO

IS THIS JENNY

YOU'RE IN LOVE

WITH?

AW—TAINT NO GIRL

SIS THAT'S WHAT

THEY CALLED THIS

OLD WAR PLANE

TUNE

By EDDIE STINSON E. F. WOGGON

THE REUNION

WAL HUH!—WAL

YOU DIDN'T KNOW

YOU WAS TALKIN'

TO THE LEADER O' THE MASKED

RIDERS, DID YUH?

WHAT!

COME IN

HELLO, HOWDY SHERIFF!

WELL, DAD!

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Society and Club News

EMMA HOWARD
C. KILPATRICK
TO WED TODAY

At a quiet ceremony this morning Miss Emma Howard will become the bride of Clinton Kilpatrick of Richmond, the rite will be performed in the First Baptist church in Berkeley and will be witnessed by members of the families. The couple will be attended by Mr. and Mrs. William Stribley.

A wedding breakfast will follow at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William Blaikie of Clinton avenue with whom the bride-elect has been making her home. The honeymoon has been postponed until spring.

Kilpatrick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kilpatrick, of Eighth street. He is employed at a local store.

First Presbyterian
Group Entertained
At Radio Program

Members of the Junior and Senior high groups, Naomi circle, Juniors and Keystone Christian Endeavor societies were entertained Sunday in the First Presbyterian church parlors with a radio program. The groups listened to the National Broadcasting company's Christmas program.

Circle 2 Wesley
Aid To Assemble
At Church Parlors

Circle No. 2 of the Wesley Methodist Ladies Aid Society will hold its meeting Thursday at the church parlors. All members have been requested to attend.

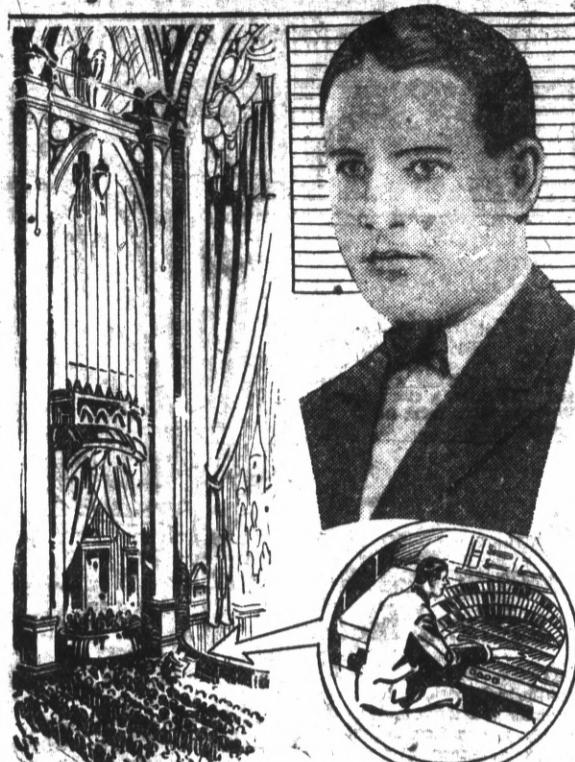
Special Evangelistic
Campaign

Evangelist J. Stuart Hydans assisted by Mrs. Hydans and Miss Elizabeth Buchanan, saxophonist will conduct an evangelistic campaign at the Foursquare church, 10th and Barrett Aves., commencing Wednesday evening, December 19th and every night until Sunday December 23, also Sunday morning. You are urged to attend. Come expecting spiritual uplift and you will surely receive.

12-15-5

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BOB CORDRAY

Detroit Organist Predicts
Great Innovations in
Instrument

Detroit.—The greatest musical instrument in the world, the organ, is still in an embryonic state of development. Invented over two thousand years ago, its potentialities have been permitted to lie dormant until within the last ten years.

This is the opinion of Bob Cordinay, leading organist of Detroit, and an internationally recognized authority on the history and technique of the organ.

"The musician who uses the organ as a medium of expression has before him a noble instrument, one that can reproduce the effect of a whole orchestra or of the simplest single instrument," says Mr. Cordinay. "What greater wonder have we in our whole list of musical mediums?"

"It is, however, only within the

Land Produces
Five Times
Value In Year

LETHBRIDGE, Alberta, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—It is not often that a piece of land will produce five times as much in the first year as it cost, but that is what happened to a farmer in the Wrenham district this year.

In 1927 he bought a quarter section of land for \$1,400, on time payment. He summer-fallowed 105 acres and last spring he plowed 45 acres more. His 150-acre field of wheat yielded 7,100 bushels worth about \$7,000.

New Chinese
Bank Planned

SHANGHAI, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—The Nationalist government plans to open the Central Bank of China about January 1, according to information obtained here from Chinese government officials. A detailed plan for the operation of the bank is now being drafted and will soon be submitted to the State for approval.

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F. J. GREGORY
MISS WALLACE
TO WED DEC. 29.

Miss Agnes A. Wallace will be the bride of Frederick J. Gregory, Dec. 29 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawson, 206 Pennsylvania avenue. The bride will be given in marriage by her uncle, William Moton of Berkeley, Rev. A. Alden Pratt will perform the ceremony.

The bride is to be attended by Miss Mary McLaughlin and John Gregory will act as best man for his brother.

Gregory is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gregory of England. For the past five years he has been making his home at 526 Nevin avenue with the J. Congdon family.

Florence Walgren
Announces Troth
To Albert Childs

Announcement of the betrothal of Miss Florence Walgren to Albert Childs was made at a dinner party in the home of Mrs. Chole Childs, mother of the bridegroom recently. The bride elect is the daughter of Mrs. Marion Walgren of Bissell avenue. Both she and her fiance are graduates of the Richmond Union high school and are well-known here. No date has been set for the wedding.

T. F. B. Will Meet
Tomorrow Night

The Fraternal Brotherhood will its meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Musician's hall. Entertainment will be featured.

Hookey Unknown
To This Youth

BUTLER, Mo., Dec. 24.—(UPI)—Hookey is an unknown quantity in the school life of Alonso L. Dixon, 15, who has never been tried in his life.

During the nine years of attending school he has been absent from his studies only eleven days on account of sickness and one death in the family. As a student in the grade school, he had to walk two miles to the Tripp rural school but now he is a student in the Butler high school and drives three miles to school.

"Many places have been developed which give the organ a great chance. 'Good Night' is a waltz based on the theme of taps, is a good example. The bugle qualities give especial scope for the organ.

"Of course 'Good Night' is so popular it would be hard for the organ to add more admirers to it, but nevertheless I predict that within a few years all ballrooms will have to be equipped with or-

"It is, however, only within the

Trail Of Money
In Fund Drive

GIBRALTAR, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—A trail of pennies placed end to end in the roadway and stretching from one end of the main street to the other, was the novel method adopted here to obtain a large amount of money for the Earl Haig fund for disabled soldiers.

Sir Alexander Godley, the governor of Gibraltar, placed the first penny of the trail which grew rapidly.

Transatlantic telephone service to Vienna was opened on November 3rd. Austria is the eleventh European country to be worked by telephone from North American points.

When inspected the parcels were

found to contain a large amount of narcotics, worth \$35,000. Cleverly masked among miscellaneous goods. A further lot of similar parcels was then found undelivered at the post office and yielded a further \$50,000 haul of drugs.

Good Night's Work



Narcotics Taken
During Fight Of
Oriental Thugs

\$125 Per Day In
Jail Asked Court

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—An innocent man should be paid \$125 per day for serving a prison sentence in the opinion of Benjamin F. Colling.

Last October he was sentenced to State prison and served four days before it was discovered that he was the wrong man. The State legislature has now been asked to pay him \$500 for loss of wages and impairment of health.

One hundred motor boats, representing \$500,000, were sold the other day in a sixteen minute transatlantic telephone conversation between Michigan and London, England.

Happy New Year

to everyone

THERE is no
good reason
why your dealer
should offer you
something else
when you ask for

KRAFT
CHEESE

PARK M. HOWELLS
TO ENTERTAIN AT
CHRISTMAS MEAL

Mr. and Mrs. Park M. Howell of 628 Seventh street will entertain a group of friends and relatives at Christmas dinner today.

St. Edmund Guild
Auxiliary Will
Hold Yule Party

The St. Edmund's guild auxiliary will entertain at a Christmas party at the guild hall tomorrow afternoon. Each member has been asked to attend and bring a gift not to exceed fifteen cents in value.

Youths To Be
Banned From
Chinese Army

SHANGHAI, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—The Nationalist government, the United Press has been informed, will immediately discharge from its army all soldiers under the age of 18 years. The order was issued by General Chiang Kai-shek and has been forwarded to all garrison commanders. Many of the Nationalist soldiers in and around Shanghai are mere children of 12, 14 and 15 years.

Films Of Old
Naples Banned

ROME, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—The Italian motion picture censor has issued a notice that no movie permits will be given for the release of films of Neapolitan life, in which the Neapolitans are portrayed as merely guitar playing, mazurka eating, "dolce far niente" folk.

The legend of lazy, dirty pictures of Naples as shown in the picture post cards of ten or fifteen years ago has in fact little relation with present day actuality, and the Film Censors here are determined to obliterate it as far as in their power lies.

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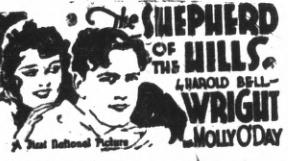
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Not What He Seems



LON CHANEY, master of makeup, who appears at the California theater for the last time today in "West of Zanzibar."

Radio News

6:00 to 7:00 A. M.
KPO—Health hour.
7:00 To 8:00 A. M.
KPO—"Slimy Fitts".
KPO—Exercises.
KFWI—(7:30) Health exercises.
KJBS—Early Bird program.
KLX—Exercise.
8:00 To 9:00 A. M.
KFRC—Musical recordings.
KLX—Classified Adv. hour.
KYA—Morning Glories.
KJBS—Favorite recordings.
KPO—Happy Times.
KTAB—Recordings.
9:00 To 10:00 A. M.
KLX—Records.
KJBS—Popular hour.
KFWI—Musical program.
KYA—Christmas concert.
KFRC—Georgia O. George.
KPO—Dobbs' Daily Chat.
KOO—California Home Life.
KTAB—Prayer service; hem economics.
10:00 to 11:00 A. M.
KLX—Studio program.
KFRC—Studio program.
KFWI—Musical program.
KPO—California Home Life; Women's Magazine on the Air.
KYA—Christmas concert.
KJBS—Musical program.
KPO—Annabelle Lee; NBC program.
11:00 To 12 Noon
KLX—Studio program.
KYA—Sunshine hour.
KFRC—Talk; amateur auditions.
KGO—Rembrandt trio.
KJBS—Musical program.
KPO—NBC program; Towne Crier.
KFWM—Recordings.
12:00 NOON To 1:00 P. M.
KLX—Geo. Otto's Hawaiian.
KGO—Rembrandt trio.
KPO—Lillian R. program.
KFWM—Luncheon program.
KYA—News items, music.
KFRC—Sherman-Clay concert.
KTAB—Organ recital.
1:00 To 2:00 P. M.
KLX—Jean's Hi-Lights.
KYA—Music.
KTAB—Colonial hour.
KPO—Musical program.
KFWM—Bohemian hour.
KJBS—Melodies; talk.
2:00 To 3:00 P. M.
KLX—Jackson Furniture Co. program.
KYA—Pacific Salon orchestra.
KFWM—Bohemian hour.
KJBS—Musical program.
KTAB—Sapphire hour.
KPO—Jerry Jerome; Anne Warner.
3:00 To 4:00 P. M.
KLX—Studio program.
KJBS—Studio program.
KFRC—Concert orchestra.
KYA—Bridge Party hour.
KTAB—Studio program.
KFWM—Musical Bridge.
KPO—NBC program.
4:00 To 5:00 P. M.
KLX—Organ recital.
KFRC—Studio program.
KJBS—Talks; organ recital.
KPO—Concert orchestra.
KYA—Records.
KPO—NBC program.
KTAB—Astra quartet.
KFWM—Organ; Happiness program.
5:00 To 6:00 P. M.
KLX—Brother Bob; Curtin Cells.
KTAB—Prolife hour.
KYA—Who's Who period.
KPO—Children's hour.
KJBS—Variety hour.

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Wright Drama Of Ozarks On Richmond Screen

One of the screen's most appealing love stories, told with the photographically beautiful Ozark Mountains as a background, is "The Shepherd of the Hills" now heading the entertainment bill at the Richmond theater.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" is a First National Pictures screen version of the famous novel by Harold Bell Wright and the lovers of the story, "Sammy" Lane and Young Matt, are portrayed by Mollie O'Day and John Boles. Alhart-Rogell directed the picture, which was produced for First National by Charles R. Rogers.

In the cast, also, are Alec B. Francis, who plays the title role; Matthew Betz, as the villain; and Ronald Fielding, Otto Harlan, Joseph Bennett, Maurice Murphy, Carl Stockdale, Marion Douglas, John Westwood and other notable artists. They give exceedingly human characterizations and the plot is packed with drama and suspense.

Molly O'Day demonstrates her real attractiveness and ability in the role of the little Ozark girl. It is by far her best work to date.

College Men Weaker Says Grid Mentor

MARISON, Wis., Dec. 24—(UPI)—"College men are growing small and are weaker today than 20 years ago," said Tom Lieb, line coach at the University of Wisconsin in a speech here recently. These men are pampered, come to school in large cars, and consequently are in weak mental and physical condition. They do not engage in the more trying sports, but seek easier methods of recreation, on the golf links or the tennis courts.

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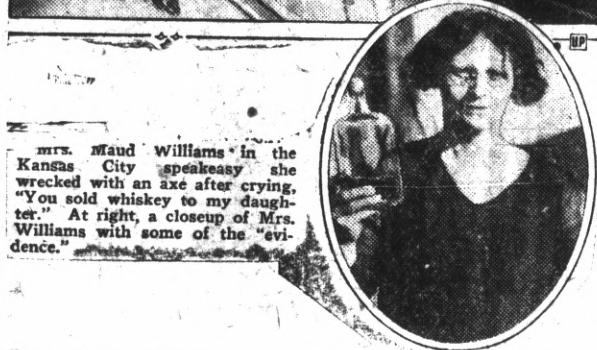
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Follows Carrie



MRS. Maud Williams in the Kansas City speakeasy she wrecked with an axe after crying "You sold whiskey to my daughter." At right, a closeup of Mrs. Williams with some of the evidence.

REJUVENATED HORSE WINS BIG MONEY

PARIS, Dec. 21—(UPI)—Since there is no turf law forbidding gland operations for race horses, bookmakers unwillingly have paid off the great winnings of the first equine patient of Dr. Voronoff, "Don Zuniga," conqueror of the Grand Prix des Hales at Auteuil.

"Don Zuniga" was rejuvenated, endued with a youth that is the envy of two year olds, and can go over the obstacles with a foot clearance. Five months ago Don Zuniga was being prepared for the quiet life of the training farms far from Auteuil.

Her owner readily consented to the experiment which Dr. Voronoff had already practiced on goats and other animals. There is a law of the French turf against a racehorse owner doping a racehorse to secure a better performance, but by no stretch of his imagination could a judge term the Voronoff operation doping.

So until the French turf code is modernized, "Don Zuniga," an eight year-old, will prance around Auteuil with his brothers six years his junior.

The Equitable building in New York City has enough telephone wire to provide one telephone circuit for every 335 square feet of office space.



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May old Kris Kringle be good to you this Christmas Tide and may the greatest of his gifts be an overflowing measure of happiness and good will.

We take this opportunity to thank our patrons for their loyal support. That we hope to continue to merit it, goes without saying. To serve you, pleasurable and profitably, is our sincerest wish.

One more—A RIGHT MERRY CHRISTMAS to all and many of them.

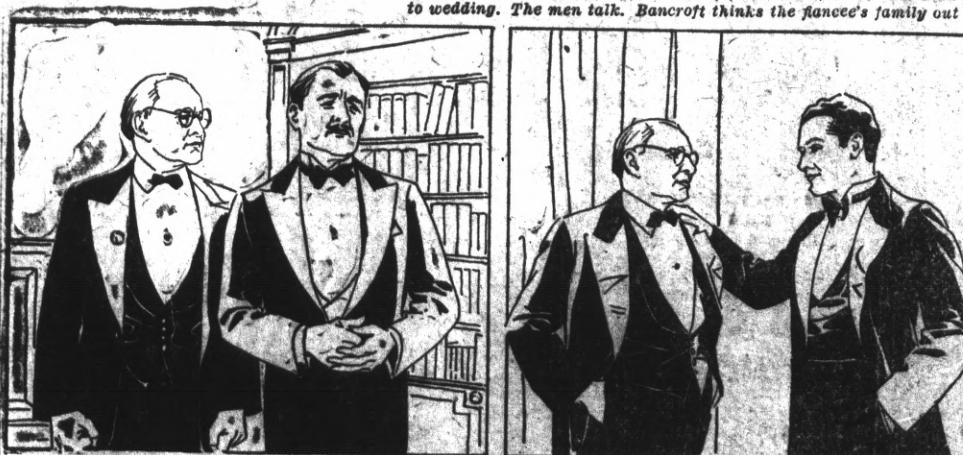
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THE HOME TOWNS

BY JOHN LEARY PELTRET
FROM J. WARNER BROS. ALL-TALKING VITAPHONE PICTURE
BASED ON THE COMEDY BY GEORGE M. COHAN

SYNOPSIS—Arnold asks Bancroft, his chum, to be best man and bring wife to wedding. The men talk. Bancroft thinks the fiancee's family out to Arnold.



CHAPTER III
INQUIRY develops that Calhoun, Beth's father, was a liquor dealer. He has invented a bottle washer to promote which, Arnold has put up \$200,000. At this point Wally blows in, free and easy, with his friend, Joe Roberts. Roberts explains his boy forgot to pack his pumps so he can borrow some, as he has only brown shoes which he is wearing with his tuxedo.

WHILE Arnold is out of the room with Roberts, Wally does his stuff. He tells Bancroft what a great fellow he is, what a great fellow Arnold is and what a great fellow he is himself. He also says praise words for the bride. For himself he has just turned down a job paying ten thousand more than he was getting with Arnold. This adds to the suspicions of Bancroft.

AFTER the two visitors go their way, Bancroft puts the matter up to Arnold. He proceeds to go over the ground and attempts to show that the Calhoun family is using him for a set-up. He asserts that the family sold out for the bottle washer price, because no girl 21 would marry a man of Arnold's age except for money. Arnold tries to persuade Bancroft he is all right.

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to our customers and all our friends in Richmond

THE MANAGEMENT and THE EMPLOYEES OF

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year to all of our valued patrons and friends who have been the backbone of our successful business career. We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your past patronage. For the future we promise to adhere to the same policies of value-giving and service that have made you one of us. At this time we pause to express our sincerity and appreciation and may this Holiday bring you everlasting joy and happiness.

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1314 Macdonald Ave.

Extends To All A

Merry Christmas

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Merry Christmas

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Paulsen's Realty Service

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Merry Christmas

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During the past year

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735 Macdonald Avenue

Merry Christmas

And a Wish for a Prosperous
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American Cleaning Co.

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We wish to thank you for your
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Joe's Battery Shop

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

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May Your

Christmas

Today be a Merry and Happy One

Civic Center Tire & Battery Co.

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We Extend To One and All A

Merry Christmas

C. O. D. Cleaners

2409 Macdonald Ave.

May the Christmas Star
With its glorious light
Lead you to days
That are ever bright.

The Fashion
820 Macdonald Ave.

Merry Christmas

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from

Carl Richard
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SPORTS

SAN PABLANS LOSE TO SHOES

The Johnson Clothiers, formerly of Richmond, and the Piggly Wiggly teams are tied for first place in the second half of the Oakland Winter league as the result of the San Pablo club losing to the Guarantee Shoes nine yesterday at the San Pablo ball field.

Robertson was on the mound for the San Pablo club and during the course of the day struck out 11 men and allowed three and a home run. Robertson was on the mound for the Shoes and he struck out eight men.

A triple and a home run by Coates aided the Shoes to gain a well-earned victory. McCoy was the big strike man for the San Pablans with two doubles.

GUARANTEE SHOES

	AB	R	H	E
Christianen, 2b	4	0	0	0
Hazeffer, ss	4	1	2	0
McAvley, lf	5	2	2	0
Hansen, cf	4	0	0	0
Codes, rf	5	1	3	0
Porter, cb	4	0	0	0
Anton, th	3	1	0	0
Warren, c	1	0	0	0
Robertson, p	3	1	0	0
Totals	36	6	9	0

SAN PABLO

	AB	R	H	E
Bernardo, ss	5	0	1	1
Greathouse, lh	4	1	1	1
Wetzell, 3b	3	0	1	0
McCoy, cf	3	0	2	0
Scarey, 2b	2	1	0	0
Bundick, rf	3	0	1	0
Gillen, 3b	3	0	1	0
Quindon, c	4	0	1	0
Roberts, p	4	0	1	0
Totals	32	2	7	5

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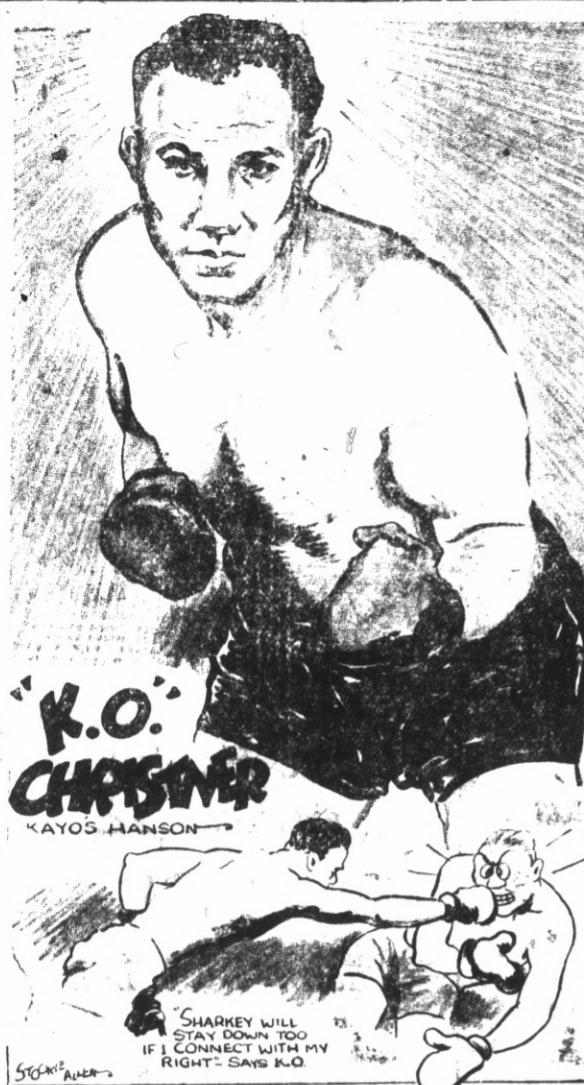
Struck out—By Roberts, 11; by Robertson, 8. Bases on balls—off Roberts 2; off Robertson 3. Hits by pitched ball—Anton, Bundick, and McCoy. Two-base hits: McCoy, 2. Three base hits—Coates, Homa run—Coates. Left on bases—San Pablo 8; Guarantee Shoes, 10. Umpire—Borda. Score—Grover.

Basketball Games Postponed Week

Basketball games in the Richmond city League have been postponed until Jan. 7. On that date the Ben Malik and Santa Fe eagles will meet in the main game and the Richmond Roofers and Furrers will play the preliminary game.

The Ben Malik squad is leading the A division while Furrers are leading the B division.

K. O. May Be O. K.



MISS COLLETT SCORES NET RULINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(UPI)—Gonna Collett, three national United States women's golf champion, challenges the American sporting association which make a hair-splitting distinction between amateur and professional sport in a chapter entitled "Declining Amateurism" part of her book "Ladies in the Rough".

Miss Collett, herself an amateur with no intention of becoming a professional, brands as ridiculous the ruling which disqualifies Bill Tilden from taking part in the Davis cup match because he received payment for his articles on tennis. Miss Collett points out that this very practice is encouraged by the European Federation governing the Davis cup matches because they believe it stimulates interest in the game to have champions write about it.

There is a growing tendency towards professionalism in both golf and tennis, and we might as well recognize the fact, Miss Collett declares. She calls it "weird" that Bill Tilden, who, she says, "has worked longer and harder at tennis than Babe Ruth at baseball or Walter Hagen at golf" should not be permitted to receive remuneration for writing about the subject he knows the most about.

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Representatives of the U. S. Army, the public works department, the bureau of health and other organizations have joined in a comprehensive plan framed by R. W. Hart, chief quarantine officer.

The plan calls for rat proofing port and storehouses, a concentrated campaign of trapping and poisoning, laboratory examination of rat carcasses to discover the earliest evidences of bubonic plague, and determination of the disease index for various ports of the islands.

Miss Collett goes on to say that there is confusion even between players of the amateur class of different sports. "The amateur tennis player has her full expenses paid while touring the country but the girl golfer is required to pay full expenses, even to fees for entering some of the tournaments.

"In my hear there is a growing irritation with the tendency in America to regard sportsmanship as something that is found only in the ranks of amateurs and vaguely defined amateurism a that. Has not American sport developed under conditions that are not comparable with those of any other country? It is inevitable that the day will come when there will be no more haranguing over the question of amateurism and professionalism." Miss Collett's book is published by Alfred A. Knopf.

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APPARATUS TO PHOTOGRAPH IMPULSES

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—An apparatus to measure and photograph the impulse or electric current which accompanies messages carried by nerves from the brain to the muscles has been developed there by specialists of the School of Medicine of Washington University. The new recording instrument, the only one of its kind in existence, is called the Braun tube oscillograph.

A second one is being built, at the University of Brussels in Belgium, under the direction of a research worker who came to St. Louis to copy the original model.

The original machine was designed by Dr. Joseph Erlanger, professor of physiology, Dr. H. S. Gasser, professor of pharmacology and Dr. G. H. Bishop, associate professor of physiology at the university. They say the new invention will add a number of fundamental facts to medical science.

Since the nerve impulse travels 325 feet per second, thus making any given portion of the nerve active for a most minute space of time, the machine is capable of recording 100,000,000 oscillations per second. Physiologists knew that an impulse had gone along a nerve because the muscle contracted but they decided the only method that would discover activity in the nerve itself would be a plan for recording the small electric current which the nerve produces.

An amplifier similar to a radio

Accused Of Killing 3



CHARGED with the murder of Clifford Deffenbaugh, his wife and Jim Nicholson, inmate of a Crawford, Ark., infirmary, Bill Howell, above, is being held for trial.

Street Car Fare Tokens Prove To Be Cosmopolitan

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—(U.P.)—Nothing apparently is more cosmopolitan than a fare-box on a street car, judging from the tokens used on Kansas City trams. Practically every city in the United States using tokens on street cars was represented in the tokens taken from boxes in Kansas City, a check revealed. In the last few months 55 tokens from Honolulu have been received. In the past year, more than 20,000 Kansas City street car tokens have been dropped into fare-boxes in other American cities and about 30,000 tokens from other cities were used on Kansas City street cars.

Although many persons use foreign tokens in the belief they are slipping one over on the street car company, an agreement for redemption of fares exists among the companies.

Egg Laden Truck Spreads Omelets Over State Road

JACKSON, Calif., Dec. 24.—What is believed to be the largest omelet ever served was dished out on an Amador county highway near here for \$25 without coffee.

Manuel Lopez was driving along in his automobile with 120 dozen choice eggs packed in the car when he collided with an automobile driven by J. H. Williams.

Williams was forced to pay for the eggs omelet which resulted from the impact of the cars. The price agreed upon was \$25.

Tree Planting For Highways Gains Impetus

Twenty-five states of the Union have no laws governing tree and shrub planting along highways, according to the California State Automobile association, while a few of the remaining 23 have good laws but the majority have different ones.

The act passed at the last session of Congress permitting the federal government to pay half the cost of wayside planting along federal aid highways, will give impetus to the movement long fostered by civic, social and motorizing organizations of the country. It is reported in Paris.

Visit in Fresno

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BOYS POPULAR WITH FOSTER PARENTS

The problem of responsibility of connection with the operation of a motor vehicle by a minor has been a difficult one in litigation arising out of automobile accidents involving drivers of minor age. The executive committee of the Motor Vehicle conference has drafted an amendment to the California Vehicle act designed to meet this situation. This amendment is scheduled to be recommended to the legislature. The proposed change in the law is analyzed by the legal department of the California State Automobile association.

The present provisions in Section 62 of the California Vehicle act regarding parents being jointly and severally liable for the negligence of a minor where the parents have signed an application for the minor's operator's license still prevail.

An amendment is proposed to the end that when a minor, whether licensed or not, operates a motor vehicle with the expressed or implied permission of parents, the parents shall be jointly and severally liable with the minor for any damage caused by negligence of the minor. An exception is made to this rule in the event that the minor is driving a motor vehicle owned by the minor's employer.

Unless the minor is acting for a parent, guardian or employer, the latter shall not be liable under this section in any amount exceeding \$5000 for injury or death of one person, \$10,000 for injury or death of more than one person in one accident, or \$1000 for damage to property in any one accident.

A new provision is proposed permitting any person who shall have signed an application for an operator's license for a minor, to have such license cancelled, thereby relieving the parent or guardian from any further imputation of negligence by reason of having signed the application. However, this will not relieve the parent or guardian from liability for negligence of the minor if the motor operates a motor vehicle with the expressed or implied permission of the parent or guardian, as previously stated.

VISITS IN LIVERMORE
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stahl and son Darwin and Mrs. Stahl's mother, Mrs. M. S. Riley, 2317 Gardner avenue, will spend the Christmas holidays in Livermore.

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PARENTS HELD LIABLE BY NEW LAW

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Boys are preferred to girls for adoption, an examination of the applications filed at the New York Foundling Hospital revealed. Of 525 applications examined those stating a preference for boys numbered 276, for girls, 32, while 17 stated no preference as to sex. One hundred and eighty one applicants desired children under one year; 142 wanted children between the age of one and two years, and 102 requested children between the age of two and three years. Fifty-three applicants asked for children between three and four and only 55 expressed a preference for those between four and five years.

The majority of the prospective foster parents preferred children with blonde hair and blue eyes or blonde hair and gray eyes. Only 30 requested that the child have dark hair and dark eyes and only one made a request for an auburn haired baby.

The New York Foundling Hospital receives an average of from 20 to 30 applications each week from various parts of the country. The institution employs a large staff of investigators to examine the character, social status, and business connections of the applicants. After the child has been given out for adoption the investigators call frequently upon the foster parents and investigate the new home given the child.

The New York Foundling Hospital is the oldest and largest of its kind in the United States. It was founded in 1869 at the request of Cardinal McClosky, the first American member of the Sacred College. The Sisters of Charity were placed in charge of the institution with Mother Irene as Superior. Mother Irene was a zealous welfare worker and did much to build up the institution during the time she presided over it, from 1869 to 1886, the year of her death. She collected and spent over a million dollars in building and maintaining the hospital.

During the 59 years that the institution has been in existence the Sisters have found homes for approximately 8,000 children and it is estimated that during this period they have taken care of more than 30,000 little ones.

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found Curry dead in his chair at his desk. Death is believed to have been due to heart trouble.

NEW MEXICO VISITOR
W. J. Congdon arrived home yesterday from Albuquerque, New Mexico, to spend the holidays at the home of Mrs. Congdon, 520 Nevin avenue.

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